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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS LET BRIDGE CONTRACTS

Lowest Bidder Ignored on the Big Work to be Done

HOW ACTION IS DEFENDED

Declared by Commissioners That One Firm Could Not Handle All Work

Ignoring the lowest bidder on the flimsy excuse that one firm would not do all the work in the time required, the county commissioners Friday let the big contracts for the construction of county bridges to the C. N. Neeld Construction Company of Pittsburg. In an effort to satisfy the contracting company which placed the lowest bids on practically all the work, three contracts were awarded to the Forrest Construction Company of Washington, the lowest bidder on much of the work. Quite a sensation was caused when the facts became known, the Forrest Contracting Company having agreed to furnish bonds for finishing the work in the time specified should they get the c ontracts. Controller Moffitt says that if any exceptions are filed to the contracts as awarded it will be up to him to surcharge the difference in bide to the commissioners individually.

The bids were opened on August 4 by the controller and the county engineers and the work of tabulating the prices has been going on for the past week. Among the bridges to be built is one over Maple Creek between Charleroi and Speers. The awards were as follows:

Monongahela City Bridge, over Pigeon creek in Monongahela to be a through truss bridge of 110 foot span. Substructure, C. M. Neeld Construction company Pittsburg, $6;479.09; superstructure, Nelson Merydith company, $8,562

Bentleyville Bridge over Pigeon creek, a plate girder bridge of 56 foot span. Substructure, Forrest Construdtion company, Washington, $1,782.28; superstructure, Nelson Merydith company, $3,042.

Brick Church Bridge over Pigeon creek in Benteyville borough. New pony truss bridge of 56 foot span. Substructure, Forrest Construction company, $1782.28; removal, Nelson Merydith company, $300.

Finleyville Bridge, over Peters creek in the west end of Finleyville borough. This bridge is to be plate girder bridge with a 60 foot span Forrest Construction company, $1,-537.25; superstructure, Ft. Pitt Bridge Works, Pittsburg, $2,149.

The Kamp Bridge, over Prush run in Peters township. This will be a plate girder bridge of 45 foot span. Substructure, Joseph W. Wolf, Monongahela, $1,377.86; superstructure Capital Construction company, Columbus, O., $1,747.00.

Charleroi Bridge, over Maple creek on the line between Charleroi and Speers borough. This will be a reinforced concrete arch of 40 foot span and 30 foot roadway. C. M. Driver, $8,662.59.

Sparta Bridge, reconstruction of over Short creek in Morris township. This bridge is 19 foot span. Bid re-

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One Hundred to Take Trip

Charleroi Circle P. H. C. To Celebrate Silver Anniversary of Order

What promises to be one of the leading fraternal society events of the season will be the visit of Charleroi Circle 303 to Vigilant Circle, No. 491, Protected Home Circle, atMcKeesport next Tuesday, August 15. At the meeting of the Charleroi circle Friday evening arrangements were made for the affair. The social committee will have charge. Special coaches will be added to the train leaving Monessen at 5:54 for P. H. C. people. It is expected that fully 100 members of the local circle will go. Entertainment has been arranged by the McKeesport circle, and grand officers will be present.

The prime object of the visit will be to commemorate the 25th or silver anniversary of the order at large. The first lodge was formed at Sharon 25 years ago this month. There were seven charter members. Now the Protected Home Circle has 78,000 members.

TAXATION QUESTION

North Charleroi Wants Library Association to Pay

MATTER TO BE FOUGHT

If the intentions of North Charleroi authorities to collect taxes from the Fallowfield Library Association are carried out there promises to be an interesting fight which will determine the true status of the association and whether or not it is an association designed to benefit the public, or a private affair from which private benefits accrue. Obviously the intention of the library association is to benefit the public; that is admitted by the North Charleroi authorities but it is claimed by them, it is stated, that property of the library association is rented and thus is made subject to taxation.

The effort to collect taxes is being made in spite of the fact that for 17 years the property of the library association has been burden free. The only time taxes were paid was during a period that the building was rented by the North Charleroi borough council for $25 a year. Had certain of the library officials been cognizant of the fact that taxes were being paid at that time, it is said, a fight would have ensued.

During the past years the property has been assessed and efforts have been made to collect the taxes but to no avail. The Library Association refused point blank to pay anything and they claimed with right.

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DIES WHILE ON WAY HOME FROM MEETING

Bowman R. Horn Topples Over While Viewing Work Done on New North Charleroi School Building

While inspecting work being done on the new North Charleroi school building, Bowman R. Horn, aged 31, a member of the school board of North Charleroi, died Friday night about midnight. He was on his w ay home from a meeting of the school board and was accompanied by I. N. Kibler, another member of the board. Death was due to pulminary tuberculosis.

Mr. Horn was a prominent man in North Charleroi affairs. He has been a leading spirit in getting a commodious new school b uilding planned and under course of construction. He did not seem to be in any worse health than usual while attending the meeting of the school board Friday night and discussed matters pertaining to the school work with his usual zest.

Mr. Horn and Mr. Kibler lived on the hill at North Charleroi and leaving William Sharpneck, another member of the school board at his home they stopped a moment to view the progress of the work on the new school building. While the men were talking Mr. Horn suddenly dropped to the ground. His companion saw something seriously was the matter and hastily summoned Mr. Sharpneck. A physician was sent for but before either he could arrive or Mr. Horn be taken home, he died.

Mr. Horn came from Beallsville to North Charleroi. He was formerly a school teacher, but for a number of years has held a position in a Monessen mill office. He came home from Mont Alto Tuberculosos sanitarium not long ago after taking treatment there and apparently was in improved health.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. V. G. Hostetter, pastor of the Christian church at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the home, and the body will be taken to Beallsville where interment will be.

GRAND JURY TO TAKE UP WORK NEXT WEEK

Busy Times Expected About the Temple of Justice---Five Homicide Cases to Be Taken Up

Monday will see the convening of court after the six-weeks' bar vacation and there will be busy times about the court house for the next three weeks at least.

On Monday at 10 o'clock a session of motion and rule court will be held As there has been no court for some time, there will likely be a number of matters to come before the judges. On Monday afternoon the grand jury for the August term will meet and take up the list of cases prepared by the district attorney and his assistant. It is probable there will be a number of pleas of guilty during the day. On the criminal docket there are already over 200 cases listed for the grand jury.

There are five homicide cases to go before the grand jury, and one other homicide case in which a true bill has already been returned, will be tried at the coming term of court This case is that of the commonwealth against James Marks, who shot and killed a fellow Italian in Walker's row, Washington, several months ago.

The constables will make their quarterly returns on Monday, but there is usually not much flurry caused by these returns. Criminal court will be convened one week from Monday, and it is expected the term will last almost two full weeks. The August term is usually a busy one. There are now over 100 prisoners in the county jail.

SAYS THAT FRYE WOULD BE STRONG

County Seat Newspaper Believes Republicans Will Present Strong Front

Apropos of the proposed candidacy of Charles O. Frye of Charleroi as a candidate for Clerk of Courts, the Washington Record says the following:

"Prospects of a sweeping Republican victory this fall in Washington county and the pressure from the rank and file for the greatest number of good candidates at the primaries, are bringing new men into the race for county and local offices, the latest unofficial announcement being that C. O. Frye, of Charleroi, late census supervisor and one of the busiest of the Magic City men during the campaign of John K. Tener for governor, would become a candidate for clerk of courts

"The gossip from Charleroi is most interesting because the candidacy of Frye attracts instant attention and the large number of other aspirants to county offices from the river towns has already insured an increased Republican vote in the primaries. Charleroi, Speers, Roscoe, Donora and Monongahela City are all on the political map, but there has been nothing to indicate that the river c andidates expect to do more than run on their own merits or that there has been a combination formed to capture most of the big county offices for that section of the county."

Misses Laura and Nora Miksch will visit with friends at McKeesport over Sunday.

MEETING AUGUST 20 IS ANNOUNCED

Federated Adult Classes to Take up Matter of Securing Rev. Wm. Sunday

W. S. James the president of the Federated Adult Bible Classes of Charleroi has sent out a notice to pastors in this district notofying them of the meeting to be held in Charleroi on Sunday afternoon August 20, when the matter of ways and means for securing Rev. Billy Sunday for an evangelistic service will be discussed. The contents of his letter is as follows

"Dear Brother:

"At a meeting of the Federated Adult Bible Classes of Charleroi held July 30th, it was decided to invite Rev. William Sunday to hold an evangelistic camptign at some convenient point so as to reach the territory between Monongahela and Roscoe inclusive on both sides of the river. Will you not bring the matter before your church board and ascertain if your people will not unite with us in this movement? There will be a meeting held in the First Presbyterian church, Charleroi, Sunday afternoon August 20 at 3 o'clock to consider ways and means. We ask that you and a lay representative of your church attend this meeting."

Festival.

The Lady Maccabees of Charleroi will hold a festival on the Eagles lot on McKean avenue on Saturday evening, August 12 for the benefit of the Emergency fund of the Order. A cordial invitation is extended to all. 10-4-t

TELEPHONE ORDINANCE PASSES FIRST READING

Charleroi Company to Seek Rights of Underground Service

DUTIES OF THE ENGINEER

Members of Council Come to Thorough Understanding on Important Ordinance

An ordiniance granting the Charleroi Telephone company the right to lay their wires and conduits underground was passed first reading by council at an adjourned meeting Friday night. The ordinance is a duplicate of that passed for the Bell Telephone Company some time ago.

The ordinance governing the duties of the borough engineer was taken up and discussed at some length. The sense of council was that requests and grievances of citizens should be made to him. Important matters will be taken up by him with committees or if necessary with the whole council. It is his duty as understood by council to "plan, lay out work and have charge of the same." He should also acquit himself with the condition of the borough and the ordinances. Violations of ordinances coming under his jurisdiction should be reported by the police, other officers or any citizen.

It was owing to a misunderstanding partly of his duties that brought the matter before council. Paul U. Elder is the borough engineer and the ordinance thoroughly outlines his duties so that he not only has supervision of street work but also of other departments of the borough work.

R. S. Moody presented plans and specifications for a proposed sidewalk crossing to his garage on Fallowfield avenue and the work will be done under the supervision of the borough engineer.

The borough engineer was given power to act in the matter of having a piece of gas pipe in the street at Fourth street and Lincoln avenue removed.

John P. White as Peacemaker

National Mine Leader Trying to Patch Differences of Feehan and Gibbons

John P. White, international president of the United Mine Workers of America, arrived in Pittsburg Friday to settle the troubles that now exist in District No. 5 of which Francis Feehan of Castle Shannon and Robert Gibbons of Cecil both claim to have been elected president of the district.

President White conferred with both factions and arranged for a meeting Friday night. Feehan, Gibbons and the elected officers of both sides attended the meeting, which was held at the St. Charles Hotel. The conference was continued today, and results will be announced later.

Will Hold Outing.

Arrangements are being made for an outing to be held by Charleroi Council No. 1240 Royal Arcanum. The matter will be taken up at a meeting to be held later.

CONVENTION AT A CLOSE

Tournament Concludes Week's Events at Monongahela

HAS A PEACEFUL ENDING

The twelfth anual convention of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association closed at Monongahela Friday evening after a day of tournaments.

The affair of Thursday in which about 400 firemen insisted that a Monongahela fireman be manhandled because he was believed to have purposely knocked down a member of an Etna hose company with his hose truck horses, semed to have lost its gravity today and the visiting firemen enjoyed themselves to the limit. The Etna fireman was found not to be seriously injured and J. H. Pollock whose hose truck had knocked him down was found not to have been responsible for the accident.

The races Friday were won as follows: Hand hose race, Turtle Creek, first prize, $50; Reliance, second prize, $25; hook and ladder, Reliance, first prize, $35 Turtle Creek, second, $20; hub, Turtle Creek, first prize, $35; Monessen, second, $20; Service, Reliance, first prize, $35; Whitaker, second. $20; hose horse race, Duquesne, only prize, $35.

Appointed Extra Agent.

Frank Arrison of Charleroi has been appointed extra agent for the Monongahela division, P. R. R. Mr. Arrison has been employed at the Charleroi freight office.

SLAV KILLED IN CATSBURG MINES

By a fall of coal in the Catsburg mine, Michael Poleachek, aged 55, was killed. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'cock. Interment will be in the Calvary cemetery. Poleachek was a well known Slavok resident having come to Charleroi 20 years ago.

Will Sing Here.

Miss Lillian Hammitt, of Uniontown, a well known soprano soloist will be a guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Warrensford and on Sunday morning will sing at the Methodist Episcopal church.

Notice.

A reward of $25.00 will be paid to any person or persons furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one found trespassing on reservoir property.

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Aug. 12 In American History.

1849—Albert Gallatin, statesman and financier, died; born 1761.

1891—James Russell Lowell, poet, essayist, scholar and diplomatist, died; born 1819.

1898—Peace protocol formally signed at Washington by American and Spanish commissioners.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:58, rises 5:04; moon rises 8:40 p. m.; 4 a. m., planet Mercury at greatest elongation east of the sun, distant 27 degrees 26 minutes therefrom; phase, 0.50; light, 32; plainly visible for several evenings, setting after the sun.

SCIENTIFIC LEGISLATION

Frederick W. Taylor, engineer of efficiency, and Louis D. Brandeis, doctor of scientific management have inaugurated a new era in American industry. Both preach practically the same doctrine, Mr. Taylor applying his theory to the individual worker and Mr. Brandeis fitting h is to the general overseer. Brandeis would save the great corporations millions of dollars by having their affairs managed scientifically, while Taylor would make the workingman more highly efficient by having him do his work more nearly in accordance with common sense methods. By working according to the new gospel of efficiency the bricklayer for instance, is enabled to lay a great many more bricks in a day than he used to lay. He eliminates "false motions" and other elements of delay. The railroads for another instance, may attain a higher efficiency and a lower expense of operation by substituting scientific management for the haphazard methods now in vogue.

These professors of efficiency are doing a good work, which suggests that their theories might be applied with benefit to the American congress and the state legislatures. Surely there is a great deal of "false motion" in congress and the state assemblies. Why not reduce legislation to an exact science and save both time and money and also improve the quality of legislation? Scientific management of congress would cut down the length of speeches in house and senate do away with the occasional fistcuffs and ink bottle pitching practice which interfere with the progress of work in committee rooms and in many other ways reform the present tedious and unsatisfactory methods of hatching at laws.

Just the germ of the scientific legislation idea is presented here as food for thought. Perhaps either Mr. Brandeis or Mr. Taylor would have to be called upon to take scientific management of congress or both of them, one for the senate and the other for the house. A raised platform of dais might be built for each of them in the center of the chambers from which to rule the lawmaking ranch with the magic wand of scientific management. Attached to the end of the wand there might be a long whip to be cracked over the heads of senators and representatives who violate the scientific rules of procedure

THE ONLY REMEDY.

Every citizen is interested in the application of government. But most of them are content to sit back easily and growl lazily about the crooks who have taken charge of affairs, says the Titusville Herald. When the individual citizen will go to the primary and the general election; when he will encourage his neighbors to do likewise, taking an active part in the election of men to fill offices then this government will be improved and a new brood of politicians will have come into a useful state of being. It is not beneath the dignity or position of any man to go to the polls and work earnestly for the election of candidates who will best serve the interests of the community.

Whatever wrong has come into political systems is there largely because of neglect and carelessness upon the part of the electorate. Conditions will be improved just as interest upon the part of the individual is strengthened. Every good citizen ought within his scope to be a politician.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Fear of death at the hands of the county executioner made a Washington county man go crazy, but at that he hasn't anything on some of the other lunatics, notably Harry Thaw, B. Frank Smith and some others.

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Will they ever forget that expession "Believe me."

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Some fellow wants President Taft to testify. What do they think he has been doing all these years.

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The big newspapers in the large cities have nothing on the newspapers in the smaller municipalities in the way of office equipment. For instance the big ones have managing editors, city editors, sporting editors, society editors, financial editors, and plain reporters; also owners and proprietors. The smaller ones have the same only they are combined into one.

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The trouble with picnics is that they are too new fashioned.

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Those who are howling about the heat should remember that winter is coming.

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Worse Luck.

Bill Smith has got the measles,
An' he dassent go out doors;
He dassent go to school at all,
He dassent do no chores;
He's grinnin' in the window
When there's wood an' stuff to bring—
Bill Smith has got the measles
An' I ain't got a thing
—Duncan Smith in Chicago News

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The fellow who never gets sick never has to try the efficiency of sick benefit insurance companies

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Here's another old one. "Why did Miss Force accept the millionaire;" Answer, "Because John Jacob Astor." Andy, kindly hand us the shotgun.

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A Fashion Note.

While clever Doctor Wiley
Investigates our beer,
I wish he'd solve the problem
Not altogether clear—
Why is it beer, in summer,
Don't fret like common folks,
But wears a stand-up collar
And never even chokes?
—Philadelphia Star.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Patrons of the Palace or Star Theatres often wonder how moving pictures are produced, particularly those involving explosions, conflagrations and disasters, of which there are some remarkable presentations. The New York American describes how a 60-ton schooner was sent to the bottom of South Bay the other day to the tune of 150 pounds of dynamite, in order that Charleroi and other audiences might be entertained

"With all sails set, the good but aged vessel known as the Robert Graham was taken to a point off Bayberry Point, Isle. Four moving picture cameras were trained on the schooner from four flat-bottomed boats and about 400 feet away was a float from which the dynamite expert set off the blast that destroyed the vessel. Hundreds lined the shore to witness the scene which when reproduced throughout the land in picture theatres is expected to thrill thousands.

When the electric spark set off the dynamite there was a great puff of smoke, accompanied by a crashing explosion. The sails of the scooner were torn to shreds The hulk seemed to rise out of the water and then sank slowly until the waves washed over the tips of the masts. And all the while the camera men calmly wound their reels of films.

"The schooner was sixty years old. It had been purchased by the moving-picture men for $600 from Capt. William Stammee, who undertook to tow his old boat out into the bay where she was to meet her doom. The captain, however, did not think it was necessary, under the circumstances, for him to go down with the ship."

"During the past hundred years New York has accomplished more in the nature of private charity than any other city in the world," writes William B. Selden in Harper's Weekly. "The beginning of her vast system of relief occurred in the year 1806, when Isabella Graham collected together twelve little homeless children, running wild in what was then the village of Greenwich, installed them in a private house, and ministered to their wants with some semblance of human sympathy." In the city of Greater New York are now nearly one hundred and seventy-five private institutions, exclusive of the Department of Public Charities, says the author. They are partly maintained by appropriations from the city's purse, which for 1909 amounted to nearly five million dollars.

Laughter.

Laughter, while it lasts, slackens and unbraces the mind, weakens the faculties and causes a kind of remissness and dissolution in all the powers of the soul, and thus far it may be looked upon as a weakness in the composition of human nature. But if we consider the frequent reliefs we receive from it and how often it breaks the gloom which is apt to depress the mind and damp our spirits with transient unexpected gleams of joy, one would take care not to grow too wise for so great a pleasure of life.—Addison.

Light Men.

At a certain hotel in Liverpool an Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotsman were arguing as to which of their respective countries had the lightest men.

The Irishman led the argument by saying:

"We have men of Cork!"

"That may be," said the Scotsman; "but we have men of Ayr."

"Well," said the cockney, "that is very light, but we have 'lighter' men on the Thames."

His Ways.

"My husband," sobbed Mrs. Frivol, "is the most contrary kind of a man."

"How so?" asked her sympathetic friend.

"Why, every time," responded the aggrieved wife, "that I begin dressing up he is sure to give me a dressing down."—Baltimore American.

Hidden Danger.

Owner—How did you come to puncture the tire? Chauffeur—Ran over a milk bottle. Owner—Didn't you see it in time? Chauffeur—No; the kid had it under his coat.—Town Topics.

A Dream of a Hat.

She—I dreamed last night you bought me a new hat. He—Well, that's the first dream of a hat you ever had that didn't cost me money.—Club Fellow.

Pinless Hat for Women.

A pinless hat for women hooks around the head with hooks and eyes.

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Flow of Solid Metals.

Metals flow into each other just as gases and liquids mix, though more slowly. If a cube of lead is placed on one of gold, the surfaces of contact being kept smooth and clean, and left for a month a small quantity of gold will be found to have penetrated the lead.

Not Playing the Game.

Mrs. Fitz Suburbia—The next door person must be a very suspicious character. Hubby — Why so? Mrs. F. S.—She employs a maid who is deaf and dumb, the mean cat!—New York Journal.

Fire and sword are but slow engines of destruction in comparison with the babbler.—Steele.

IN RE-BANK OF COAL CENTRE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditors, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, to make distribution of the balance as shown by the first and partial account of William E. Crow, receiver of the Bank of Coal Center, Pennsylvania, among those legally entitled to receive the same, will meet at the office of Swartz, Umberger & Swartz, Union Trust Building, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, for the purposes of their appointment on Tuesday, August 29th, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M. and thereafter at the former location of the said Bank of Coal Centre in Coal Center, Washington County, Pennsylvania at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 5th day of September, 1911, when and where all persons interested may appear, if they see fit so to do.

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With a record of faithful service in office to back him James. T. Heffran of Speers is asking for the nomination for Coroner on the Republican ticket. Mr. Heffran was elected to the office of Coroner in 1908 and has proven himself worthy of the trust placed in him by the people

The office of Coroner requires much activity and trustworthiness and only a man thoroughly interested in the work and willing to put his whole heart and soul into it, is going to "make good." "Jimmie" Heffran has put his soul into his work and everybody knows the great success he has attained while in that office. He is trustworthy in every particular, a fact well realized.

It is a common knowledge that the mines are the source of more mortalities than any other branch of industry in Washington county. Nearly all the deaths are accidental but in such a way that they require the services of a coroner. Coming from the mines himself Coroner Heffran thoroughly understands this part of the work.

His experience while in office has given him an insight into the affairs of the county that makes him a valuable man, and one who should be kept in office In the prime of life he is qualified for all that is demanded of a Coroner.

Industrious Jackdaws.

Sixty-seven sackfuls of sticks have been discovered on top of the tower of St. Michael's church, Exeter, England. They had been carried there by jackdaws for nest building.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
JOHN J. CAIRNS.
ROSCOE, PA.
Primaries, Sept. 30. 1911.

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS
BOYD PARSHALL
WASHINGTON, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS
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Washington, Pa.
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Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
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ALEX SUTHERLAND'S BROTHER IS SIGNED

Washington Team of A. and W. League Gets Fallowfield Youth

A somewhat unusual instance of baseball powress in one family is presented through the announcement of E. H. Sackville, of Washington, that he had signed up pitcher Endsley Sutherland, of near Charleroi, for the local A. & W. League club. Sutherland it transpires, is a brother of Alex Sutherland, who pitched excellent ball for Washington and who later signed with the Wheeling team in the Central League

The boys are twins, both are left handers and both have great pitching records. Endsley Sutherland is said to be a dead ringer for his brother, both in size and looks.

Sackville signed up the second Sutherland as a result of a letter from Alex, in which the latter urged the local manager to get the other twin, saying he was the best pitcher of the two. Sackville immediately got busy.

It is worthy of particular notice that neither Alex or Endsley Sutherland lost a game while pitching in the Monongahela valley.

The new Sutherland signed by Sackville is said to be just as steady as his brother, who had remarkable control for a left hander. Endsley too has a great "bean" ball and a fine assortment of curves. He is expected to prove just as succesful for Washington as his brother Alex was.

AMONG THE THEATRES

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI.

Not since it opened has the Palace thetre had such an abundance of good motion pictures as it had this week. The Palace always gets the best and presents them in the best possible manner but this week Manager Barnhart was enabled to secure pictures of a class rarely produced by the leading photoplay firms. Yet similar productions are promised for succeeding d ays.

Of all the pictures produced this week the best was "The Old Captain," a Selig production. The story was one of jealously which resulted in a ship master being discharged by the ship owner, through deceptions practiced by an enemy. Suffering all sorts of hardships the ship owner was finally ruined by his ship being dashed on rock. Going from bad to worse he finally landed in the gutter, f rom where the old captain rescued him. The picture is particularly strong in scenic effects and the scene of the ship being dashed to pieces is a piece of picture-making that would be hard to beat.

Another good picture this week was "Pony Express" a Selig production. This was a western drama vividly portraying the trials of a man wrongly accused. Other excellent photoplay productions were "Red Wing" a Pathe picture, "The Doomed Ship" an Edison and "The Colonel's Son," a Kalem production.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Many pictures above the ordinary were produced at the Star Theatre this week, and as a result the Fallowfield avenue house proved an attractive place to Charleroi people. Matinees were a feature.

Among the leading productions of the week was "Message from the West," in which a story was told of a deception which though causing much suffering, ended aright. Another picture of much merit was "Her Mother's Love." In this production the tender parental love for a wayward child was vividly shown the mother not losing faith when nearly all others had in the straying one

Other feature pictures during the week were "The Declaration of Independence," a Revolutionary War story, "Paul's Quarrel," "For the Queen's Honor" and "The Little Wayfarer."

THE GRAND—PITTSBURG.

The discerning theater goer would have to think hard to recall a funnier farce comedy than, "Confusion," and it is a question if any similar production has had such a long and continued success,, for since its premier in London in 1883 it has been a source of delight to both English is this brilliant farce comedy that will be presented at the Grand next week by the Harry Davis Players and its exquisite humor and ludicrous situations will no doubt be a source of unrestrained merriment

Nat Goodwin thought so well of the piece that he started in it, and he made no mistake for in "Confusion" he scored his most distinctive hit. The difficulties arise over a baby and a pug dog and as misunderstandings multiply, married folks and lovers became estranged, and the actions of others are peculiar that they are thought to be mentally unbalanced. The relations between the various members of the household become so estranged over the dog and baby that Christopher Blizzard, who is responsible for bringing the dog to the house, suggests that he attach a stone to its neck and throw it into the river. Others who know nothing of the canine but are cognizant of the presence of the baby overhear the remark and imagine he is going to drown the infant.

LOCAL MENTION

George Newton will leave Sunday for Mt. Clemens, Mich., where he will spend the balance of the month.

Misses Lura Wingett, Helen and Tressa Sharpneck have returned from a visit in Wilmerding with relatives.

Miss Mildred Lowstutter who has been visiting friends and relatives in Wilmerding has gone to Jeannette where she will spend several days before returning home.

Miss Fannie Barnhart is spending a month in New York state.

Miss Sadie Smith of Charleroi and Miss Olive Raffle of California left today for a two weeks' visit in Ohio.

Miss Edith Hazlett left today in company with a party of Pittsburgers for a ten days' trip to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Chautauqua, N. Y.

Gilbert Uptegraft and grandson, Howard Riggle have returned from a month's visit at Flatwoods, Fayette county.

Miss Anna Thomas of Logan, Ohio after a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Lettice Lewis, of Washington avenue, has returned home.

MRS. HOLLISTER WAS KNOWN HERE

Charleroi members of the Ladies of the Maccabees of the World are bemoaning the death of the past supreme commander of the order, Mrs. Lillian M. Hollister, whose demise occurred at Detroit, Mich., August 4. Mrs. Hollister was known in Charleroi to the members of the local order. She was the supreme commander and leader of the L. O. T. M. for 16 years. She was an author, lecturer, educator, missionary and prominent church worker. She was one of the foremost women in the United States and through extensive travels had a ready knowledge of other countries.

His Idea of Economy.

His Wife—"But don't you think joining the golf club is rather an extravagance?" "Not if we economize in other ways I thought we might give up our pew in church."—Life.

Blessing English Crops.

The quaint ceremony of blessing the crops was observed the other evening on the Earl of Craven's estate at Binley, in Northeast Warwickshire, says the London Daily Mail. Meeting at the parish church, the vicar and a number of parishioners formed into procession and various well-known farms were visited.

Stupefy the Snake.

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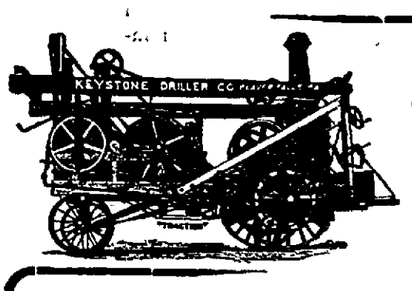

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Sixth street and Washington avenue Sunday School at 9:45. Divine services with sermons by the pastor at 11 and 7:30. Subject of evening sermon, "The Joy in Living." Luther League at 6:45. A cordial welcome to the public to come and worship in this church. Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz, minister.

Methodist.

Sunday School at 9:30. Public worship and sermon on "My Brother and I" at 10:45. Epworth League, 7. Topic—"Busy Service". Public worship and sermon at 7:45. Subject—"The Truant Prophet." All welcome. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

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Sunday School at 9:45. Morning preaching services at 11 o'clock The services will be in charge of a young Crozier Seminary man, who will deliver a sermon. No evening services. Everybody invited to the services.

John Is Up to Snuff.

On returning from his trip around the World, General Grant was asked as to the greatest sight he had seen, and said: "A Jew trying to beat a Chinaman without being able to do it." The Jew has gained less foothold in China than any other country.

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COMMISSIONERS LET BRIDGE CONTRACTS

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jected as being too high. Nelson Merydith company only bidder Taylorstown Bridge, over Buffalo creek in Blaine township. A new concrete face wall is to be built around one abutment and the roof is to be repaired. Ben Clark, Taylorstown, $8 per yard for concrete and $200 for galvanized roof.

TAXATION QUESTION

(Continued from page one.)

The North Charleroi school board has rented the building and used it for school purposes for several months. They are said to defend the library accociation in their contention. All rent it is declared by members of the library association has gone for repairs to the building and for the purchase of additional books. The library is to be turned over for use of the North Charleroi schools and it is believed the school district will help support the library. There is no income now on the property except that from renting.

The library association was established a number of years ago by Major McGowan, who was superintendent of navigation at Lock No. 4. He was the moving spirit in the organization. A lot of ground was donated by a public minded citizen and on this a hall was erected in which a library was fitted up it also containing an auditorium.

Lecture courses were held in the auditorium and by this means the debts of the building and the purchas of books were met. The library was fitted up in a most complete manner. All the standard works as well as technical subjects and fiction were included and it has been declared by persons who have inspected it to be the most complete public library in the county, rivaling the Washington public library in books and equipment.

Body Interred Here.

The body of Mrs. Emma Hunter, 21 years old was brought from Sharpsburg to Charleroi this morning to be interred in the Charleroi cemetery. Mrs. Hunter died from tuberculosis on Tuesday at her home in Sharpsburg. Her husband, George Hunter and one child survive. Mrs. Daniel Davis, of North Charleroi, is a sister of Mr. Hunter.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS LET BRIDGE CONTRACTS

Lowest Bidder Ignored on the Big Work to be Done

HOW ACTION IS DEFENDED

Declared by Commissioners That One Firm Could Not Handle All Work

Ignoring the lowest bidder on the flimsy excuse that one firm would not do all the work in the time required, the county commissioners Friday let the big contracts for the construction of county bridges to the J. N. Neeld Construction Company of Pittsburg. In an effort to satisfy the contracting company which placed the lowest bids on practically all the work, three contracts were awarded to the Forrest Construction Company of Washington, the lowest bidder on much of the work. Quite a sensation was caused when the facts became known, the Forrest Contracting Company having agreed to furnish bonds for finishing the work in the time specified should they get the contracts. Controller Moffitt says that if any exceptions are filed to the contracts as awarded it will be up to him to surcharge the difference in bide to the commissioners individually.

The bids were opened on August 1 by the controller and the county engineers and the work of tabulating the prices has been going on for the past week. Among the bridges to be built is one over Maple Creek between Charleroi and Speers. The awards were as follows:

Monongahela City Bridge, over Pigeon creek in Monongahela to be a through truss bridge of 110 foot span. Substructure, C. M. Neeld construction company Pittsburg. $6,479 09; superstructure, Nelson Terydith company, $8,562

Bentleyville Bridge over Pigeon Creek, a plate girder bridge of 56 foot span. Substructure, Forrest construction company, Washington, $1,782.28; superstructure, Nelson Terydith company, $3,042.

Brick Church Bridge over Pigeon Creek in Benteyville borough. New pony truss bridge of 56 foot span. Substructure, Forrest Construction company, $1782 28, removal, Nelson Terydith company, $300.

Finleyville Bridge, over Peters Creek in the west end of Finleyville borough. This bridge is to be plate girder bridge with a 60 foot span Forrest Construction company, $1,-87 25; superstructure. Ft Pitt Bridge Works, Pittsburg, $2,149.

The Kamp Bridge, over Brush run in Peters township. This will be a plate girder bridge of 45 foot span. Substructure, Joseph W. Wolf, Monongahela, $1,377 86; superstructure Capital Construction company, Columbus, O., $1,747.00.

Charleroi Bridge, over Maple creek on the line between Charleroi and Speers borough. This will be a reinforced concrete arch of 40 foot span and 30 foot roadway. C. M. Neeld, $8,662 59.

Sparta Bridge, reconstruction of over Short creek in Morris township. This bridge is 19 foot span. Bid re-

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One Hundred to Take Trip

Charleroi Circle P. H. C. To Celebrate Silver Anniversary of Order

What promises to be one of the leading fraternal society events of the season will be the visit of Charleroi Circle 303 to Vigilant Circle, No 491, Protected Home Circle, at McKeesport next Tuesday, August 15. At the meeting of the Charleroi circle Friday evening arrangements were made for the affair. The social committee will have charge Special coaches will be added to the train leaving Monessen at 5:54 for P. H. C. people. It is expected that fully 100 members of the local circle will go Entertainment has been arranged by the McKeesport circle, and grand officers will be present.

The prime object of the visit will be to commemorate the 25th or silver anniversary of the order at large. The first lodge was formed at Sharon 25 years ago this month. There were seven charter members. Now the Protected Home Circle has 75,000 members.

TAXATION QUESTION

North Charleroi Wants Library Association to Pay

MATTER TO BE FOUGHT

If the intentions of North Charleroi authorities to collect taxes from the Fallowfield Library Association are carried out there promises to be an interesting fight which will determine the true status of the association and whether or not it is an association designed to benefit the public, or a private affair from which private benefits accrue. Obviously the intention of the library association is to benefit the public; that is admitted by the North Charleroi authorities but it is claimed by them, it is stated, that property of the library association is rented and thus is made subject to taxation

The effort to collect taxes is being made in spite of the fact that for 17 years the property of the library association has been burden free. The only time taxes were paid was during a period that the building was rented by the North Charleroi borough council for $25 a year. Had certain of the library officials been cognizant of the fact that taxes were being paid at that time, it is said, a fight would have ensued.

During the past years the property has been assessed and efforts have been made to collect the taxes but to no avail. The Library Association refused point blank to pay anything and they claimed with right.

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DIES WHILE ON WAY HOME FROM MEETING

Bowman R. Horn Topples Over While Viewing Work Done on New North Charleroi School Building

While inspecting work being done on the new North Charleroi school building, Bowman R Horn, aged 31, a member of the school board of North Charleroi, died Friday night about midnight. He was on his way home from a meeting of the school board and was accompanied by I. N. Kibler, another member of the board Death was due to pulminary tuberculosis

Mr Horn was a prominent man in North Charleroi affairs He has been a leading spirit in getting a commodious new school building planned and under course of construction He did not seem to be in any worse health than usual while attending the meeting of the school board Friday night and discussed matters pertaining to the school work with his usual zest.

Mr. Horn and Mr Kibler lived on the hill at North Charleroi and leaving William Sharpneck, another member of the school board at his home they stopped a moment to view the progress of the work on the new school building. While the men were talking Mr Horn suddenly dropped to the ground His companion saw something seriously was the matter and hastily summoned Mr. Sharpneck A physician was sent for but before either he could arrive or Mr. Horn be taken home, he died

Mr. Horn came from Beallsville to North Charleroi He was formerly a school teacher, but for a number of years has held a position in a Monessen mill office He came home from Mont Alto Tuberculosos sanitarium not long ago after taking treatment there and apparently was in improved health.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. V. G Hostetter, pastor of the Christian church at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the home, and the body will be taken to Beallsville where interment will be

GRAND JURY TO TAKE UP WORK NEXT WEEK

Busy Times Expected About the Temple of Justice---Five Homicide Cases to Be Taken Up

Monday will see the convening of court after the six-weeks' bar vacation and there will be busy times about the court house for the next three weeks at least.

On Monday at 10 o'clock a session of motion and rule court will be held As there has been no court for some time there will likely be a number of matters to come before the judges. On Monday afternoon the grand jury for the August term will meet and take up the list of cases prepared by the district attorney and his assistant It is probable there will be a number of pleas of guilty during the day. On the criminal docket there are already over 200 cases listed for the grand jury.

There are five homicide cases to go before the grand jury and one other homicide case in which a true bill has already been returned, will be tried at the coming term of court This case is that of the commonwealth against James Marks, who shot and killed a fellow Italian in Walker's row, Washington, several months ago.

The constables will make their quarterly returns on Monday, but there is usually not much flurry caused by these returns. Criminal court will be convened one week from Monday, and it is expected the term will last almost two full weeks The August term is usually a busy one. There are now over 100 prisoners in the county jail.

SAYS THAT FRYE WOULD BE STRONG

County Seat Newspaper Believes Republicans Will Present Strong Front

Apropos of the proposed candidacy of Charles O. Frye of Charleroi as a candidate for Clerk of Courts, the Washington Record says the following:

"Prospects of a sweeping Republican victory this fall in Washington county and the pressure from the rank and file for the greatest number of good candidates at the primaries, are bringing new men into the race for county and local offices, the latest unofficial announcement being that C. O. Frye, of Charleroi, late census supervisor and one of the busiest of the Magic City men during the campaign of John K. Tener for governor, would become a candidate for clerk of courts

"The gossip from Charleroi is most interesting because the candidacy of Frye attracts instant attention and the large number of other aspirants to county offices from the river towns has already insured an increased Republican vote in the primaries. Charleroi, Speers, Roscoe, Donora and Monongahela City are all on the political map, but there has been nothing to indicate that the river candidates expect to do more than run on their own merits or that there has been a combination formed to capture most of the big county offices for that section of the county."

Misses Laura and Nora Miksch will visit with friends at McKeesport over Sunday.

MEETING AUGUST 20 IS ANNOUNCED

Federated Adult Classes to Take up Matter of Securing Rev. Wm. Sunday

W. S. James the president of the Federated Adult Bible Classes of Charleroi has sent out a notice to pastors in this district notofying them of the meeting to be held in Charleroi on Sunday afternoon August 20, when the matter of ways and means for securing Rev. Billy Sunday for an evangelistic service will be discussed. The contents of his letter is as follows

"Dear Brother:

"At a meeting of the Federated Adult Bible Classes of Charleroi held July 30th, it was decided to invite Rev. William Sunday to hold an evangelistic camptign at some convenient point so as to reach the territory between Monongahela and Roscoe inclusive on both sides of the river. Will you not bring the matter before your church board and ascertain if your people will not unite with us in this movement? There will be a meeting held in the First Presbyterian church, Charleroi, Sunday afternoon August 20 at 3 o'clock to consider ways and means We ask that you and a lay representative of your church attend this meeting."

Festival.

The Lady Maccabees of Charleroi will hold a festival on the Eagles lot on McKean avenue on Saturday evening, August 12 for the benefit of the Emergency fund of the Order. A cordial invitation is extended to all. 10-4-t

TELEPHONE ORDINANCE PASSES FIRST READING

John P. White as Peacemaker

National Mine Leader Trying to Patch Differences of Feehan and Gibbons

John P. White, international president of the United Mine Workers of America, arrived in Pittsburg Friday to settle the troubles that now exist in District No. 5 of which Francis Feehan of Castle Shannon and Robert Gibbons of Cecil both claim to have been elected president of the district

President White conferred with both factions and arranged for a meeting Friday night. Feehan, Gibbons and the elected officers of both sides attended the meeting, which was held at the St Charles Hotel. The conference was continued today, and results will be announced later

Will Hold Outing.

Arrangements are being made for an outing to be held by Charleroi Council No 1240 Royal Arcanum. The matter will be taken up at a meeting to be held later.

CONVENTION AT A CLOSE

Tournament Concludes Week's Events at Monongahela

HAS A PEACEFUL ENDING

The twelfth annual convention of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association closed at Monongahela Friday evening after a day of tournaments.

The affair of Thursday in which about 400 firemen insisted that a Monongahela fireman be manhandled because he was believed to have purposely knocked down a member of an Etna hose company with his hose truck horses, semed to have lost its gravity today and the visiting firemen enjoyed themselves to the limit. The Etna fireman was found not to be seriously injured and J. H Pollock whose hose truck had knocked him down was found not to have been responsible for the accident.

The races Friday were won as follows: Hand hose race, Turtle Creek, first prize, $50; Reliance, second prize, $25; hook and ladder, Reliance, first prize, $35 Turtle Creek, second, $20; hub, Turtle Creek, first prize, $35; Monessen, second, $20; Service, Reliance, first prize, $35; Whitaker, second. $20; hose horse race, Duquesne, only prize, $35.

Appointed Extra Agent.

Frank Arrison of Charleroi has been appointed extra agent for the Monongahela division, P. R. R. Mr. Arrison has been employed at the Charleroi freight office.

Charleroi Company to Seek Rights of Underground Service

DUTIES OF THE ENGINEER

Members of Council Come to Thorough Understanding on Important Ordinance

An ordinance granting the Charleroi Telephone company the right to lay their wires and conduits underground was passed first reading by council at an adjourned meeting Friday night. The ordinance is a duplicate of that passed for the Bell Telephone Company some time ago.

The ordinance governing the duties of the borough engineer was taken up and discussed at some length. The sense of council was that requests and grievances of citizens should be made to him. Important matters will be taken up by him with committees or if necessary with the whole council. It is his duty as understood by council to "plan, lay out work and have charge of the same." He should also acquit himself with the condition of the borough and the ordinances Violations of ordinances coming under his jurisdiction should be reported by the police, other officers or any citizen.

It was owing to a misunderstanding partly of his duties that brought the matter before council. Paul G. Elder is the borough engineer and the ordinance thoroughly outlines his duties so that he not only has supervision of street work but also of other departments of the borough work

R. S. Moody presented plans and specifications for a proposed sidewalk crossing to his garage on Fallowfield avenue and the work will be done under the supervision of the borough engineer.

The borough engineer was given power to act in the matter of having a piece of gas pipe in the street at Fourth street and Lincoln avenue removed.

SLAV KILLED IN CATSBURG MINES

By a fall of coal in the Catsburg mine, Michael Poleachek, aged 55, was killed The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'cock Interment will be in the Calvary cemetery. Poleachek was a well known Slavok resident having come to Charleroi 20 years ago.

Will Sing Here.

Miss Lilhan Hammitt, of Uniontown, a well known soprano soloist will be a guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Warrensford and on Sunday morning will sing at the Methodist Episcopal church.

Notice.

A reward of $25 00 will be paid to any person or persons furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one found trespassing on reservoir property.

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Aug. 12 In American History.

1849—Albert Gallatin, statesman and financier, died; born 1761.

1891—James Russell Lowell, poet, essayist, scholar and diplomatist, died; born 1819.

1898—Peace protocol formally signed at Washington by American and Spanish commissioners.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)

Sun sets 6:58, rises 5:04; moon rises 8:40 p. m.; 4 a. m., planet Mercury at greatest elongation east of the sun, distant 27 degrees 26 minutes therefrom; phase, 0.50; light, 32; plainly visible for several evenings, setting after the sun.

SCIENTIFIC LEGISLATION

Frederick W. Taylor, engineer of efficiency, and Louis D. Brandeis, doctor of scientific management have inaugurated a new era in American industry. Both preach practically the same doctrine, Mr. Taylor applying his theory to the individual worker and Mr. Brandeis fitting h is to the general overseer. Brandeis would save the great corporations millions of dollars by having their affairs managed scientifically, while Taylor would make the workingman more highly efficient by having him do his work more nearly in accordance with common sense methods. By working according to the new gospel of efficiency the bricklayer for instance, is enabled to lay a great many more bricks in a day than he used to lay. He eliminates "false motions" and other elements of delay. The railroads for another instance, may attain a higher efficiency and a lower expense of operation by substituting scientific management for the haphazard methods now in vogue.

These professors of efficiency are doing a good work, which suggests that their theories might be applied with benefit to the American congress and the state legislatures. Surely there is a great deal of "false motion" in congress and the state assemblies. Why not reduce legislation to an exact science and save both time and money and also improve the quality of legislation? Scientific management of congress would cut down the length of speeches in house and senate do away with the occasional fistcuffs and ink bottle pitching practice which interfere with the progress of work in committee rooms and in many other ways reform the present tedious and unsatisfactory methods of hatching out laws.

Just the germ of the scientific legislation idea is presented here as food for thought. Perhaps either Mr. Brandeis or Mr. Taylor would have to be called upon to take scientific management of congress or both of them, one for the senate and the other for the house. A raised platform of dais might be built for each of them in the center of the chambers from which to rule the lawmaking ranch with the magic wand of scientific management. Attached to the end of the wand there might be a long whip to be cracked over the heads of senators and representatives who violate the scientific rules of procedure

THE ONLY REMEDY.

Every citizen is interested in the application of government. But most of them are content to sit back easily and growl lazily about the crooks who have taken charge of affairs, says the Titusville Herald. When the individual citizen will go to the primary and the general election; when he will encourage his neighbors to do likewise, taking an active part in the election of men to fill offices then this government will be improved and a new brood of politicians will have come into a useful state of being. It is not beneath the dignity or position of any man to go to the polls and work earnestly for the election of candidates who will best serve the interests of the community.

Whatever wrong has come into political systems is there largely because of neglect and carelessness upon the part of the electorate. Conditions will be improved just as interest upon the part of the individual is strengthened. Every good citizen ought within his scope to be a politician.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Fear of death at the hands of the county executioner made a Washington county man go crazy, but at that he hasn't anything on some of the other lunatics, notably Harry Thaw, B. Frank Smith and some others.

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Will they ever forget that expession "Believe me."

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Some fellow wants President Taft to testify. What do they think he has been doing all these years.

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The big newspapers in the large cities have nothing on the newspapers in the smaller municipalities in the way of office equipment. For instance the big ones have managing editors, city editors, sporting editors, society editors, financial editors, and plain reporters; also owners and proprietors. The smaller ones have the same only they are combined into one.

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The trouble with picnics is that they are too new fashioned.

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Those who are howling about the heat should remember that winter is coming.

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Worse Luck.

Bill Smith has got the measles,
An' he dassent go out doors;
He dassent go to school at all,
He dassent do no chores;
He's grinnin' in the window
When there's wood an' stuff to bring—
Bill Smith has got the measles
An' I ain't got a thing
—Duncan Smith in Chicago News

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The fellow who never gets sick never has to try the efficiency of sick benefit insurance companies.

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Here's another old one. "Why did Miss Force accept the millionaire;" Answer, "Because John Jacob Astor." Andy, kindly hand us the shotgun.

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A Fashion Note.

While clever Doctor Wiley
Investigates our beer,
I wish he'd solve the problem
Not altogether clear—
Why is it beer, in summer.
Don't fret like common folks,
But wears a stand-up collar
And never even chokes?
—Philadelphia Star.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Patrons of the Palace or Star Theatres often wonder how moving pictures are produced, particularly those involving explosions, conflagrations and disasters, of which there are some remarkable presentations. The New York American describes how a 60-ton schooner was sent to the bottom of South Bay the other day to the tune of 150 pounds of dynamite, in order that Charleroi and other audiences might be entertained

"With all sails set, the good but aged vessel known as the Robert Graham was taken to a point off Bayberry Point, Isle. Four moving picture cameras were trained on the schooner from four flat-bottomed boats and about 400 feet away was a float from which the dynamite expert set off the blast that destroyed the vessel. Hundreds lined the shore to witness the scene which when reproduced throughout the land in picture theatres is expected to thrill thousands.

When the electric spark set off the dynamite there was a great puff of smoke, accompanied by a crashing explosion. The sails of the scooner were torn to shreds The hulk seemed to rise out of the water and then sank slowly until the waves washed over the tips of the masts. And all the while the camera men calmly wound their reels of films.

"The schooner was sixty years old. It had been purchased by the moving-picture men for $600 from Capt. William Stammee, who undertook to tow his old boat out into the bay where she was to meet her doom. The captain, however, did not think it was necessary, under the circumstances, for him to go down with the ship."

"During the past hundred years New York has accomplished more in the nature of private charity than any other city in the world." writes William B. Selden in Harper's Weekly. "The beginning of her vast system of relief occurred in the year 1806, when Isabella Graham collected together twelve little homeless children, running wild in what was then the village of Greenwich, installed them in a private house, and ministered to their wants with some semblance of human sympathy." In the city of Greater New York are now nearly one hundred and seventy-five private institutions, exclusive of the Department of Public Charities, says the author. They are partly maintained by appropriations from the city's purse, which for 1909 amounted to nearly five million dollars.

Laughter.

Laughter, while it lasts, slackens and unbraces the mind, weakens the faculties and causes a kind of remissness and dissolution in all the powers of the soul, and thus far it may be looked upon as a weakness in the composition of human nature. But if we consider the frequent reliefs we receive from it and how often it breaks the gloom which is apt to depress the mind and damp our spirits with transient unexpected gleams of joy, one would take care not to grow too wise for so great a pleasure of life.—Addison.

Light Men.

At a certain hotel in Liverpool an Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotsman were arguing as to which of their respective countries had the lightest men.

The Irishman led the argument by saying:

"We have men of Cork!"

"That may be," said the Scotsman; "but we have men of Ayr."

"Well," said the cockney, "that is very light, but we have 'lighter' men on the Thames."

His Ways.

"My husband," sobbed Mrs. Frivol, "is the most contrary kind of a man."

"How so?" asked her sympathetic friend.

"Why, every time," responded the aggrieved wife, "that I begin dressing up he is sure to give me a dressing down."—Baltimore American.

Hidden Danger.

Owner—How did you come to puncture the tire? Chauffeur—Ran over a milk bottle. Owner—Didn't you see it in time? Chauffeur—No; the kid had it under his coat.—Town Topics.

A Dream of a Hat.

She—I dreamed last night you bought me a new hat. He—Well, that's the first dream of a hat you ever had that didn't cost me money.—Club Fellow.

Pinless Hat for Women.

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Metals flow into each other just as gases and liquids mix, though more slowly. If a cube of lead is placed on one of gold, the surfaces of contact being kept smooth and clean, and left for a month a small quantity of gold will be found to have penetrated the lead.

Not Playing the Game.

Mrs. Fitz Suburbia—The next door person must be a very suspicious character. Hubby—Why so? Mrs. F. S.—She employs a maid who is deaf and dumb, the mean cat!—New York Journal.

Fire and sword are but slow engines of destruction in comparison with the babbler.—Steele.

IN RE-BANK OF COAL CENTRE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditors, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, to make distribution of the balance as shown by the first and partial account of William E. Crow, receiver of the Bank of Coal Center, Pennsylvania, among those legally entitled to receive the same, will meet at the office of Swartz, Umberger & Swartz, Union Trust Building, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, for the purposes of their appointment on Tuesday, August 29th, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M. and thereafter at the former location of the said Bank of Coal Centre in Coal Center, Washington County, Pennsylvania at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 5th day of September, 1911, when and where all persons interested may appear, if they see fit so to do.

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B. F. Umberger
8-12t Auditors.

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FOR CLERK OF COURTS
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FOR DIRECTOR OF POOR
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Taylorstown, Pa.
Subject to rules of Republican party.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Ralph M. Allison
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Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
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ALEX SUTHERLAND'S BROTHER IS SIGNED

Washington Team of A. and W. League Gets Fallowfield Youth

A somewhat unusual instance of baseball powress in one family is presented through the announcement of E. H. Sackville, of Washington, that he had signed up pitcher Endsley Sutherland, of near Charleroi, for the local A. & W. League club. Sutherland it transpires, is a brother of Alex Sutherland, who pitched excellent ball for Washington and who later signed with the Wheeling team in the Central League.

The boys are twins, both are left handers and both have great pitching records. Endsley Sutherland is said to be a dead ringer for his brother, both in size and looks.

Sackville signed up the second Sutherland as a result of a letter from Alex, in which the latter urged the local manager to get the other twin, saying he was the best pitcher of the two. Sackville immediately got busy.

It is worthy of particular notice that neither Alex or Endsley Sutherland lost a game while pitching in the Monongahela valley.

The new Sutherland signed by Sackville is said to be just as steady as his brother, who had remarkable control for a left hander. Endsley too has a great "bean" ball and a fine assortment of curves. He is expected to prove just as succesful for Washington as his brother Alex was.

AMONG THE THEATRES

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI.

Not since it opened has the Palace thetre had such an abundance of good motion pictures as it had this week. The Palace always gets the best and presents them in the best possible manner but this week Manager Barnhart was enabled to secure pictures of a class rarely produced by the leading photoplay firms. Yet similar productions are promised for succeeding d ays.

Of all the pictures produced this week the best was "The Old Captain," a Selig production. The story was one of jealously which resulted in a ship master being discharged by the ship owner, through deceptions practiced by an enemy. Suffering all sorts of hardships the ship owner was finally ruined by his ship being dashed on rock. Going from bad to worse he finally landed in the gutter, from where the old captain rescued him. The picture is particularly strong in scenic effects and the scene of the ship being dashed to pieces is a piece of picture-making that would be hard to beat.

Another good picture this week was "Pony Express" a Selig production. This was a western drama vividly portraying the trials of a man wrongly accused. Other excellent photoplay productions were "Red Wing" a Pathe picture, "The Doomed Ship" an Edison and "The Colonel's Son," a Kalem production.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Many pictures above the ordinary were produced at the Star Theatre this week, and as a result the Fallowfield avenue house proved an attractive place to Charleroi people. Matinees were a feature.

Among the leading productions of the week was "Message from the West," in which a story was told of a deception which though causing much suffering, ended aright. Another picture of much merit was "Her Mother's Love." In this production the tender parental love for a wayward child was vividly shown the mother not losing faith when nearly all others had in the straying one

Other feature pictures during the week were "The Declaration of Independence," a Revolutionary War story, "Paul's Quarrel," "For the Queen's Honor" and "The Little Wayfarer."

THE GRAND—PITTSBURG.

The discerning theater goer would have to think hard to reall a funnier farce comedy than, "Confusion," and it is a question if any similar production has had such a long and continued success, for since its premier in London in 1883 it has been a source of delight to both English is this brilliant farce comedy that will be presented at the Grand next week by the Harry Davis Players and its exquisite humor and ludicrous situations will no doubt be a source of unrestrained merriment

Nat Goodwin thought so well of the piece that he started in it, and he made no mistake for in "Confusion" he scored his most distinctive hit. The difficulties arise over a baby and a pug dog and as misunderstandings multiply, married folks and lovers became estranged, and the actions of others are peculiar that they are thought to be mentally unbalanced. The relations between the various members of the household become so estranged over the dog and baby that Christopher Blizzard, who is responsible for bringing the dog to the house, suggests that he attach a stone to its neck and throw it into the river. Others who know nothing of the canine but are cognizant of the presence of the baby overhear the remark and imagine he is going to drown the infant.

LOCAL MENTION

George Newton will leave Sunday for Mt. Clemens, Mich., where he will spend the balance of the month.

Misses Lura Wingett, Helen and Tressa Sharpneck have returned from a visit in Wilmerding with relatives.

Miss Mildred Lowstutter who has been visiting friends and relatives in Wilmerding has gone to Jeannette where she will spend several days before returning home.

Miss Fannie Barnhart is spending a month in New York state.

Miss Sadie Smith of Charleroi and Miss Olive Raffle of California left today for a two weeks' visit in Ohio.

Miss Edith Hazlett left today in company with a party of Pittsburgers for a ten days' trip to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Chautauqua, N. Y.

Gilbert Uptegraft and grandson, Howard Riggle have returned from a month's visit at Flatwoods, Fayette county.

Miss Anna Thomas of Logan, Ohio after a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Lettice Lewis, of Washington avenue, has returned home.

Blessing English Crops.

The quaint ceremony of blessing the crops was observed the other evening on the Earl of Craven's estate at Binley, in Northeast Warwickshire, says the London Daily Mail. Meeting at the parish church, the vicar and a number of parishioners formed into procession and various well-known farms were visited.

Stupefy the Snake.

Snake charmers take snakeroot and put it into an earthenware pot with a snake, and he soon becomes stupefied and seems torpid and too weak to fight or bite. They put the snake under the influence of the root before pulling his fangs.

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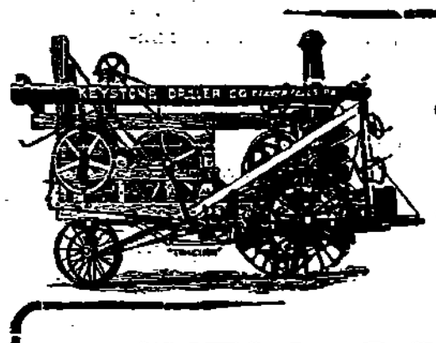

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Sunday School at 9:45. Morning preaching services at 11 o'clock The services will be in charge of a young Crozier Seminary man, who will deliver a sermon. No evening services. Everybody invited to the services.

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Needs of the Church.

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COMMISSIONERS LET BRIDGE CONTRACTS

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jected as being too high. Nelson Merydith company only bidder

Taylorstown Bridge, over Buffalo creek in Blaine township. A new concrete face wall is to be built around one abutment and the roof is to be repaired. Ben Clark, Taylorstown, $8 per yard for concrete and $200 for galvanized roof.

TAXATION QUESTION

(Continued from page one.)

The North Charleroi school board has rented the building and used it for school purposes for several months. They are said to defend the library accociation in their contention. All rent it is declared by members of the library association has gone for repairs to the building and for the purchase of additional books. The library is to be turned over for use of the North Charleroi schools and it is believed the school district will help support the library. There is no income now on the property except that from renting.

The library association was established a number of years ago by Major McGowan, who was superintendent of navigation at Lock No. 4. He was the moving spirit in the organization. A lot of ground was donated by a public minded citizen and on this a hall was erected in which a library was fitted up it also containing an auditorium.

Lecture courses were held in the auditorium and by this means the debts of the building and the purchas of books were met. The library was fitted up in a most complete manner. All the standard works as well as technical subjects and fiction were included and it has been declared by persons who have inspected it to be the most complete public library in the county, rivaling the Washington public library in books and equipment.

Body Interred Here.

The body of Mrs. Emma Hunter, 21 years old was brought from Sharpsburg to Charleroi this morning to be interred in the Charleroi cemetery. Mrs. Hunter died from tuberculosis on Tuesday at her home in Sharpsburg. Her husband, George Hunter and one child survive. Mrs. Daniel Davis, of North Charleroi, is a sister of Mr. Hunter.

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